

[Young-Miller-Tauzin-Dingell-John-Boehlert-
Markey-Pallone Amendment]

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 701, AS REPORTED

OFFERED BY MR. YOUNG OF ALASKA

(Page and line numbers refer to H.R. 4377)

Page 21, line 9, strike “for the” and all that follows
down through “period” in line 13.

Page 21, line 24, strike “for the 5-year period con-
cerned”.

Page 25, strike lines 11 through 15 and insert:

1 “(B) A program for the implementation of
2 the plan which shall include (i) a description of
3 how the plan will address environmental con-
4 cerns, (ii) for producing States, a description of
5 how funds will be used to address the impacts
6 of oil and gas production from the Outer Conti-
7 nental Shelf, and (iii) a description of how the
8 State will evaluate the effectiveness of the plan.

Page 26, line 18, after “used” insert “in compliance
with Federal and State law”.

Page 33, line 22, strike “Indian”.

Page 39, line 11, strike “paragraphs” and insert
“clauses”.



Page 39, after line 21, insert:

1 (d) STATE PROJECTS OF REGIONAL OR NATIONAL
2 SIGNIFICANCE.—Section 6(b) (16 U.S.C. 4601-8(b)) is
3 amended by adding the following at the end:

4 “(7)(A) Any amounts available in addition to those
5 amounts made available under section 5 of the Conserva-
6 tion and Reinvestment Act of 2000 in a fiscal year shall
7 be available without further appropriation to the Secretary
8 of the Interior to be distributed among the several States
9 under a competitive grant program for State projects as
10 authorized under section 6(e)(1) of national or regional
11 significance involving one or more States.

12 “(B) The Secretary shall award grants only to
13 projects that would conserve open space and either con-
14 serve wildlife habitat, protect water quality, or otherwise
15 enhance the environment, or that would protect areas that
16 have historic or cultural value. The Secretary shall give
17 preference to projects that would be most likely to have
18 the greatest benefit to the environment regionally or na-
19 tionally and would maintain or enhance recreational op-
20 portunities.”.

